UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

CIVIL MINUTES – GENERAL

Case No.: 2:23-cv-04509-FWS-RAO Date: August 17, 2023

Title: Clifford Loyer v. Stirling Price et al.

Present: HONORABLE FRED W. SLAUGHTER, UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Melissa H. KunigN/ADeputy ClerkCourt Reporter

Attorneys Present for Plaintiff: Attorneys Present for Defendants:

Not Present Not Present

PROCEEDINGS: ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE WHY ACTION SHOULD NOT BE DISMISSED FOR LACK OF PROSECUTION

On June 7, 2023, Plaintiff Clifford C. Loyer ("Plaintiff") filed a Complaint. (Dkt. 1.) On June 28, 2023, Plaintiff filed a Request to Proceed Without Prepayment of Filing Fees ("IFP Request"). (Dkt. 5.) On July 5, 2023, the court postponed ruling on Plaintiff's IFP Request and ordered that Plaintiff submit a certified copy of a trust fund statement for the last six months within thirty (30) days of the Order, or by August 5, 2023. (Dkt. 5.) As of the date of this Order, Plaintiff has not filed any additional documents supplying a certified copy of a trust fund statement. (See generally Dkt.)

Accordingly, the court hereby **ORDERS** Plaintiff to show cause in writing no later than **September 18, 2023**, why this action should not be dismissed for lack of prosecution. Plaintiff may discharge the Order to Show Cause by filing a certified copy of a trust fund statement for the last six months that complies with the court's July 5, 2023, Order. Failure to adequately comply with the court's order may result in dismissal. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(b); *Link v. Wabash R.R. Co.*, 370 U.S. 626, 629 (1962) ("The authority of a federal trial court to dismiss a plaintiff's action with prejudice because of his failure to prosecute cannot seriously be doubted."); *Hells Canyon Pres. Council v. U.S. Forest Serv.*, 403 F.3d 683, 689 (9th Cir. 2005) ("[C]ourts may dismiss under Rule 41(b) sua sponte, at least under certain circumstances."); *Ash v. Cvetkov*, 739 F.2d 493, 496 (9th Cir. 1984) ("It is within the inherent power of the court to sua sponte dismiss a case for lack of prosecution.").

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IT IS SO ORDERED.

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